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E.O. 11652: GDS

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SUBJECT: FNLA WITHDRAWAL FROM LUANDA; MPLA WITHDRAWAL FROM NOVA
LISBOA

1. ACTING HIGH COMMISSIONER GENERAL MACEDO TOLD ME AT 1200
HOURS ON AUGUST 11 THAT HE HOPED TO HAVE A FIRM COMMITMENT FROM
FNLA BY 1600 TO LEAVE SAO PEDRO DA BARRA FORTRESS.

2. THE FNLA FORCES FROM THE SANEAMENTO NEIGHBORHOOD AND
MISCELLANEOUS POINTS AROUND THE CITY SAILED ABOARD A PORTUGUESE
NAVY FRIGATE AUGUST 10 FOR SAN ANTONIO DE ZAIRE. ABOUT 500
PEOPLE WERE INVOLVED. ACCORDING TO GENERAL MACEDO, THE ONLY
FNLA MINISTER TO SAY WILL BE MATEUS NETO OF AGRICULTURE. GRACA
TAVARES, SECRETARY OF COMMERCE AND TOURISM, IS STILL HERE, BUT
LEAVES TODAY.

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3. THE GENERAL SAID THAT THE FIGHTING IN NOVA LISBOA THE

NIGHT OF AUGUST 10 WAS QUITE SERIOUS. THE PORTUGUESE ARMY
ARRANGED A CEASEFIRE AND INDUCED THE MPLA TO WITHDRAW FROM THE
CITY. UNDER THE TERMS OF THE CEASEFIRE, MPLA IS TO BE OUT OF
TOWN WITHIN 24 HOURS.
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